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SUBJECT: PRESS SUMMARY, JANUARY 19

1. NYT (PAGE 10) DAVID SHIPLER SAYS SOVIET PRESS PROVIDES CITIZENS WITH IMPORTANT MOSAIC OF IMPRESSIONS ABOUT U.S. THAT WOULD STRIKE AMERICANS AS SOMETIMES PENETRATING, SOMETIMES INFURIATING AND SIMPLISTIC.
2. NYT (PAGE 11) DREW MIDDLETON SAYS ESTABLISHMENT SOVIET NAVAL AND AIR BASES IN WEST AFRICA COULD IN FUTURE WAR THREATEN PRIMARY LIFELINE OF NATO'S EUROPEAN MEMBERS.
3. NYT (PAGE 12) CHRISTOPHERWREN REPORTS PRAVDA AGAIN CALLS MOVES TO END NUCLEAR ARMS RACE KEY TO US-RUSSIANS AIMS. ALSO OTHER PAPERS.
4. NYT (PAGE 24) GIVES GOOD REVIEWS TO RUSSIAN PIANIST LAZAR BERMAN.
5. NYT (OP-ED PAGE) EDITORIAL "GROMYKO'S TOKYO REBUFF" SAYS HE WAS COMPLETELY OUTMANEUVERED AND CAUSE MAY BE CASE OF SWELLED HEAD CONTRACTED IN ANGOLA.

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6. WP (PAGE 1) REPORTS FROM KINSHASA ZAIRE'S WARNING

TO CUBA AND SOVIETS THAT ATTACKS AGAINST ITS TERRITORY
BY PRO-SOVIET FORCES IN ANGOLA COULD LEAD TO GRAVE
CONSEQUENCES.

7. WP (PAGE 6-B) UPI FROM MOSCOW REPORTS MRS. MCCLELLAN
SAID SOVIETS TOLD HER IT MAY BE SEVEN YEARS BEFORE SHE
IS ALLOWED TO JOIN HER HUSBAND.

8. SUN (PAGE 1) REPORTS SECRETARY'S MISSION TO MOSCOW --
ONE OF HIS MOST DELICATE DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS YET --
STARTS TONIGHT.

9. SUN (PAGE 3) HAL PIPER REPORTS FROM MOSCOW THAT 200
MORE "WALRUSES" -- COLD-WEATHER ENTHUSIASTS OF WHOM
THERE ARE 60,000 REGISTERED IN 60 CITIES -- JOINED UP
LAST WEEK, STANDING IN BATHING SUITS IN PARADE FORMATION
AROUND HOLES CUT IN ICE.

10. WSJ (PAGE 6) SAYS RUSSIA'S ACTUAL OUTPUT OF CONSUMER
ITEMS LAGGED FAR BEHIND FIVE-YEAR PLAN JUST
ENDED AND RUSSIAN CONSUMER SEEMS LIKELY TO TAKE BACK
SEAT AGAIN.

11. WSJ (PAGE 6) ROBERT KEATLEY SAYS SALT TALKS THIS
WEEK ARE SEEN AS LAST PRE-ELECTION CHANCE FOR ARMS PACT.

12. WSJ (OP-ED PAGE) ROBERT KEATLEY REVIEWS KAISER AND
SMITH BOOKS IN "CLOSEUPS OF RUSSIA, WARTS AND ALL."

13. STAR (PAGE 3) UPI FROM MOSCOW SAYS SOVIETS PRESSING
SALT DEAL BUT REMAIN FIRM ON ANGOLA.

14. STAR (PAGE 13) LESLIE GELB SAYS U.S. LAST
SPRING TURNED DOWN ONE OF ITS SALT PROPOSALS -- TO BAN
MOBILE INTERCONTINENTAL MISSILES -- AFTER SOVIETS

ACCEPTED IT, ACCORDING TO HIGH ADMINISTRATION OFFICIALS.
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